



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/750,606	12/28/2000	Ammar T. Degani	XER 2 0380

CONFIRMATION NO. 6751

FORMALITIES LETTER



OC00000005785279

Albert P. Sharpe, III, Esq.
Fay, Sharpe, Fagan, Minnich & McKee, LLP
7th Floor
1100 Superior Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44114-2518

Date Mailed: 02/21/2001

NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

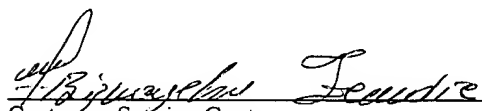
Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.


Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



0300

#3

**PATENT
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Ammar T. Degani et al.
FOR : **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR APPLYING
BLACK OVERPRINT, ANTI-ALIASING, AND
TRAPPING ON A PAGE BASIS**
SERIAL NO. : 09/750,606
FILED : December 28, 2000
CONFIRMATION NO. : 6751
ART UNIT : 2622
NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED
APPLICATION PAPERS : February 21, 2001
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : D/A0616
XER 2 0380

Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2214

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS
AND SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers issued February 21, 2001 on the above-captioned patent application, applicant is submitting herewith three (3) sheets of corrected formal drawings, including FIGURES 1- 3.

An early indication of the acceptability of the formal drawings is earnestly solicited.

CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING

I hereby certify that this **RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS AND SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS** is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on April 12, 2001.

By

Cathryn Terchek

Date

April 12 2001



D/A0616
XER 2 0380

Please charge any additional fees which may be necessary to Deposit Account No.
24-0037.

The foregoing submissions are believed to meet the requirements of the Notice
to File Corrected Application Papers, and the applicant awaits further action on the
application from the Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,
FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN,
MINNICH & McKEE, LLP

Date: 4/12/01


Patrick R. Roche
Reg. No. 29,580
1100 Superior Avenue, Seventh Floor
Cleveland, Ohio 4411-2518
(216) 861-5582